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<b>NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE EXAMINER TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES</b>		<b>Docket Number (Optional)</b> SON-2320	
In re Application of Makoto OKA et al.			
Application Number 10/041,964-Conf. #4260		Filed January 9, 2002	
For PUBLIC KEY CERTIFICATE ISSUING SYSTEM, PUBLIC KEY CERTIFICATE ISSUING METHOD, DIGITAL CERTIFICATION APPARATUS, AND PROGRAM STORAGE MEDIUM			
Art Unit 2134		Examiner W. S. Powers	

Applicant hereby **appeals** to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the last decision of the examiner.

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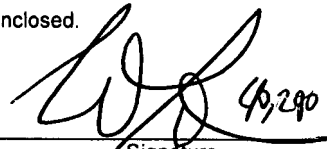
I am the

- ☐ applicant /inventor.
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See 37 CFR 3.71. Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b)  
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<b>FEE TRANSMITTAL</b> <b>For FY 2007</b>		Application Number	10/041,964-Conf. #4260
		Filing Date	January 9, 2002
		First Named Inventor	Makoto OKA
		Examiner Name	W. S. Powers
		Art Unit	2134
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**FEE CALCULATION****1. BASIC FILING, SEARCH, AND EXAMINATION FEES**

Application Type	FILING FEES		SEARCH FEES		EXAMINATION FEES		Fees Paid (\$)
	Fee (\$)	<u>Small Entity</u> Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	<u>Small Entity</u> Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	<u>Small Entity</u> Fee (\$)	
Utility	300	150	500	250	200	100	
Design	200	100	100	50	130	65	
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80	
Reissue	300	150	500	250	600	300	
Provisional	200	100	0	0	0	0	

**2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES**

Fee Description	Fee (\$)	<u>Small Entity</u> Fee (\$)
Each claim over 20 (including Reissues)	50	25
Each independent claim over 3 (including Reissues)	200	100
Multiple dependent claims	360	180

<u>Total Claims</u>	<u>Extra Claims</u>	<u>Fee (\$)</u>	<u>Fee Paid (\$)</u>	<u>Multiple Dependent Claims</u>	<u>Fee (\$)</u>	<u>Fee Paid (\$)</u>
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HP = highest number of total claims paid for, if greater than 20.						
<u>Indep. Claims</u>	<u>Extra Claims</u>	<u>Fee (\$)</u>	<u>Fee Paid (\$)</u>			
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**3. APPLICATION SIZE FEE**

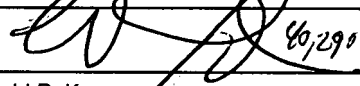
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**4. OTHER FEE(S)**

Non-English Specification, \$130 fee (no small entity discount)	
Other (e.g., late filing surcharge): <b>1401 Notice of appeal</b>	<b>500.00</b>

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